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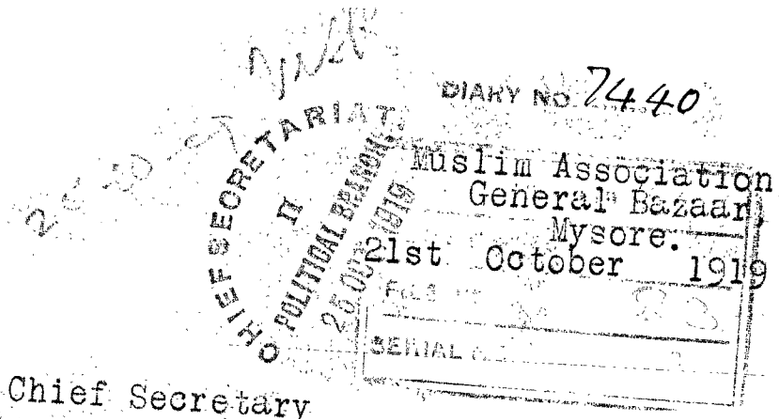


Muslim Association,
General Bazaar,
Mysore.
21st October 1919

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit a copy of the resolutions passed at a Mass Meeting of Musalmans held in the open Mydan of the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall with an account of the proceedings carried on there. It is requested that you will kindly place it before the Government of His Highness the Maharaja for appropriate action on the same.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Mohammed Sait
President,
Muslim Association.

30 OCT 1919

# KHILAFAT DAY AT MYSORE.

A Mass meeting of Mohamadans numbering over 5,000, was held in the open ground of the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall on Friday the 17th October 1919, at about 4-30 p.m., Over 1,000 Hindu brothern also graced the occasion with their presence. From early morning all Mohamadans, Hindus, Tradesmen, Merchants, Jatkavalas, Butchers, Cinema Companies, and all other kinds of businessmen suspended their business. All the Hindu merchants and tradesmen followed the example of Mahomadans to show their sincere sympathy with the cause of their Muslim brothern in the matter of the Muslim Khilafat and closed their shops. Very large congregation of Musalmans were held at all the Mosques in Mysore and the Jumma prayers were offered at 1-30 p.m. followed by prayers for the safety of the Khilafat.

Asar prayers led by Moulvi Abdul Muzaffer Mir Mohamed Hussain Sahib of Memon Mosque were offered in the same Mydan by the large number of Musalmans present in a very impressive manner.

The mass meeting commenced at 5 p.m. when Mr. Mohamed Sait recited appropriate portions of the Holy Khuran. Mr. Gulam Ahamad Kalami explained the present situation in an impressive speech. Mr. Esa Sait recited an Urdu poem in his usual charming style. Mr. Abdur Rahim, B.A., LL.B., moved the following resolutions in English and Mr. Mohamed Sait explained the same in Urdu. The resolutions were passed unanimously and enthusiastically. Moulvi Shah Abdul Aziz Sahib once more prayed for the integrity and permanance of the Turkish Khilafat and the Muslim Empire. With cheers to the Turkish Empire and to His Highness the Maharaja and the Yuvaraja and to the Hindu brothern at large. The meeting terminated at 6 p.m. Everything went off quiet and orderly.

Mohamed Sait

Resolutions passed in the mass meeting held in the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall, Mysore, on Friday the 17th Oct,1919.

(1) That in the opinion of this meeting the question of t spiritual position of the Sultan of Turkey as Caliph of the Islam world is indissolubly bound up with his temporal power as a ruler and the contemplated dismemberment of Turkey and creation of a number of small States out of the component parts of the Turkish Empire with non-muslim powers as mandatories, is an intolerable interference with the Khilafat which would sow the seed of permanent discontent in the muslim world.

(2) That this meeting strongly protests against Syria, Palestine, Mesopotomia and Armenia, where the population is almost exclusively or predominantly Muslim in faith, being formed into separate States with non-muslim powers as mandatories in direct conflict with the principle of Self-determination, laid down by the Allied and Associated Powers themselves, and this mass meeting urges that the principle applied to the Christian peoples of Europe should also be applied to the aforesaid countries with the Suzrainty of the Sultan of Turkey and any difference in the treatment of Christian and muslim populations, is sure to give rise to feelings of deep discontent and alarm in the minds of musalmans with whose co-operation the war was brought to a Victorous end.

(3) That this meeting views with dismay and indignation the report regarding the internationalisation of Constantinople and a portion of Thrace and the cession of another portion of Thrace to Greece which not only militate against the principle of Self-determination and Justice but would also be a direct breach of the pledges given by the Prime Minister in his speech of the 5th January 1918 in the name of the British Empire.

(4) That this meeting strongly condemns the absolutely unjustifiable encroachments by Greece upon Turkish territory in Asia Minor and regards its toleration by the Allied Powers as opposed to all principles of Justice and protection of weak States and is convinced that the Greek occupation of Smyrna is fraught with grave dangers to the future peace of western Asia and respectfully calls upon His Majesty's Prime Minister to secure the immediate Mah...

immediate evacuation of the aforesaid Turkish territories in Asia Minor and thus put an end to the perpetration of brutal deeds of violence by Greeks.

(5) That the Muslim community feels extremely thankful to their Hindu brethern in Mysore for their sympathetic co-operation in today's proceedings, having suspended their business completely along with their Muslim fellow-countrymen.

(6) That this meeting empowers Mr.Mohmad Sait to convey the above resolutions to the Government of His Highness The Maha Raja and send copies of the same to the Secretary All-India Muslim League Lucknow, the Khilafat Committee, Bombay, and give publicity in the press.

Dated 17th October 1919. Mohamed Sait

MYSORE.

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*Signed by* M.C.S.B. Lyon

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To

The First Hon'ble Resident

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith for the information of the Hon'ble H. Resident, a copy of a letter No. the 21st October 1919 from the Hon'ble Mr. Mohamed Said, President, Muscat Association, Muscat, together with a copy of the resolutions referred to therein.

I have &c.

Over.

Chief Secy

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